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Hon. Ronald L. Ellis United States Magistrate Judge United States District Court for the Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, New York 10007-1312

> Re: Sokolow, et al. v. Palestinian Liberation Organization, et al.

Docket No. 04-CV-397 (GBD)(RLE)

Dear Judge Ellis:

I write at the direction of Judge Daniels' chambers. The parties to this case have sent letters to Judge Daniels seeking to establish a schedule for the submission of the Joint Pretrial Order, summary judgment motions, Daubert and other in limine motions. and jury instructions. Copies of those letters are enclosed.

On Friday evening, we received a voice message from Judge Daniels' chambers informing us that Your Honor would handle these scheduling issues and directing us to contact Your Honor. This is an urgent matter because, under the rules of this Court, both summary judgment motions and the Joint Pretrial Order would be due a week from Monday, on December 23.

Accordingly, we request a conference with Your Honor at the Court's earliest convenience to discuss these matters.

Respectfully,

Kent A. Yalowitz

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cc: All ECF Counsel